

BGE Accepting Applications for 2021 Green Grants Program

BALTIMORE (April 1, 2021) – BGE is now accepting applications from eligible nonprofits for grants of up to \$10,000 to support environmental stewardship projects in the company's service area.

Green Grants applicants must be located in BGE's [geographic service area](#) and prospective projects must fall into at least one of BGE's environmental focus areas: conservation, education, energy efficiency, pollution prevention, and community engagement. Applicants must be a 501(c)(3) nonprofit with a board of directors, and must meet [additional criteria](#) to be eligible for a grant.

Nonprofits may submit applications [online](#). The application deadline is 6 p.m. on Friday, May 14.

BGE's parent company, Exelon Corporation, has been included on the Dow Jones Sustainability Index for [15 consecutive years](#). Together, Exelon and its subsidiaries committed as part of a 2012 merger to maintaining an average of \$7 million in annual charitable giving in Maryland over 10 years. The BGE Green Grants Program is a significant part of that [commitment](#).

BGE's annual Green Grants program was suspended last year due to COVID-19. In 2019, 63 Maryland non-profits [were awarded more than \\$300,000](#). BGE has awarded more than \$2 million since it launched the Green Grants Program in 2013.

More information is available at bge.com.